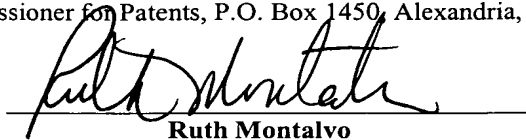




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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANCE

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated November 6, 2003, attached herein is a corrected amendment to the claims in its entirety.